

FOR A  
HOLIDAY GIFT.There's nothing that can be more useful or more highly appreciated than  
A Man's Suit.

EXAMINE the magnificent lines of fine tailor made garments that we are offering for—

\$10, \$12, \$15.

AND you'll find plenty among them to please you.



## LEATHER GOODS.

Men's Toilet Set, in roll sole leather, case containing:  
Comb, Brush, Tooth Brush, Nail Brush.  
Complete, 75cSAME as above, with Whisk Broom and Toilet Bag, \$1.00  
TRAVELER'S Blacking, containing: Black, Dauber and Box of Blacking, 75c  
SOLE Leather Collar and Cuff Cases, per set of two, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00  
SOLE Leather Vests, each, \$1.00  
SOLE Leather Hair Brush Case, containing Soft and Hard Hair Brush, \$2.00UMBRELLAS, \$1 to \$12.  
FREE—Initials engraved free on all Umbrellas sold for \$1.50 and up.FOR THE  
LITTLE MAN.A Knee Suit,  
OR A  
Cape OvercoatIS THE nicest present you can make him, at \$1.00, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00.  
THERE'S a whole floor full of good wear-resistant clothes.LAST DAY THAT WE  
GIVE AWAY FREE

A Fine, Large Express Wagon

WITH every Boy's or Child's Suit or Overcoat sold.

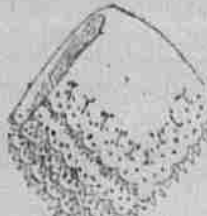
Silk and Satin Suspenders.



AT 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and up to \$4.00

## SENSIBLE CHRISTMAS GIFTS AT ED. KIAM'S

Buyers of HOLIDAY GIFTS today will find here the largest and most complete stocks of beautiful and desirable goods at the Lowest Prices; besides these special inducements to aid you in your HOLIDAY SHOPPING. GOODS DELIVERED FREE to all parts of the city today or Christmas day as desired. If you want to buy a Hat, pair of Gloves, Suit or any other Article, and you don't know the correct size of the party to whom you wish to give it, we will CHEERFULLY EXCHANGE IT AFTER CHRISTMAS FOR THE PROPER SIZE.

NECKWEAR,  
50c, 75c, \$1  
and \$1.50.Smoking  
Jackets,  
\$2.50, \$5, \$6, \$8 and \$10.Ladies' Garters  
\$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3.50Bath  
Robes.  
\$4, \$5, 6.Muffers.  
Silk Striped Cashmere, 75c.  
Silk, Tulle, Lace, Fanned, Stripes,  
Solid Colors, \$1.00 to \$4.00.  
Full Dress Shirt Protection, \$1.50.

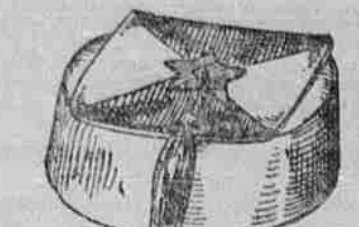
MAMMOTH

ED. KIAM, CLOTHIER,  
Cor. Main and Preston Ave.

## HAT FOR AN XMAS GIFT.

MANY persons do not care to select a hat for a Christmas present for fear the hat may not fit or become the party for whom it is intended, but we will help you out of this difficulty.  
ANY HAT that is not the right size or becoming can be exchanged after Christmas.MEN'S CRUSH HATS, 75c, \$1.00, \$2.00  
MEN'S SOFT HATS, Black and Colors, \$1.45, \$1.90, \$2.45 and \$3.00  
MEN'S ALPINE HATS, correct styles, Black and Colors, \$1.45, \$1.90, \$2.45 and \$3.00  
MEN'S Derby Hats, correct styles, Black and Colors, \$1.45, \$1.90, \$2.45 and \$3.00  
MEN'S SILK HATS, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00

Boys' &amp; Children's Hats &amp; Caps

BOYS' and Girls' Military Caps, 25c  
TURKISH Fes Caps, 25c and 50c  
AN Immense line of Children's Fancy Caps, 50c  
CHOICE from 500 Children's Hats, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00  
BOYS' CRUSH HATS, new Winter shapes, Colors, 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50  
BOYS' DERBY HATS, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00  
BOYS' ALPINE HATS, \$1.50 and \$2.00  
BOYS' and Children's Canes, each, 25cAN  
OVERCOATFOR A  
X-mas  
Present

IS SURE to be useful, and nowhere can you find a better assortment than those we are showing.

\$10, \$12, \$15

ARE the popular prices for the garments we are showing. These Overcoats will make you look dressed, for they are perfect things, of the latest cut and best quality.

Gloves,  
25c, 50c, 75c,  
\$1, \$1.50, \$2.00  
HANDKERCHIEFS  
Silk and Linen, 15c, 25c,  
50c, \$1.00, \$1.50.  
Initial Silk Handkerchiefs, 50c.

## RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

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## FOR OUR READERS ONLY.

This journal has long been acknowledged to be the leading democratic newspaper of its section. Its political views are so well known, its position on all public matters is so sharply defined, that the people know just where to look for it on all questions of National or local import. It is a democratic paper because those who control its destinies believe, and always have believed, in the principles of that great party, and while other journals have swayed from their allegiance and played fast and loose to catch the breath of popular favor, and have even deserted their colors in times of passing peril, The Post has ever been found consistent, steadfast and loyal, until it has won the respect, if not the love, even of its enemies.

But, outside of politics, there are other features in its various departments which have long commended it to a wide circle of the better class of readers. While its news service is unexcelled, it has also led in the discussion of all questions pertaining to science, literature and the arts, and from its able, clean cut and whole-

some presentment of kindred matters has justly earned the title of the leading family newspaper.

Thoroughly alive to the advantages which accrue to it from being a home favorite, and grateful for the distinct recognition which it has won in this regard, it has endeavored to show its appreciation, and at the same time to strengthen and extend its influence for good, by bringing within the reach of its readers valuable literary and artistic offerings on terms so reasonable as to appeal to persons of even the humblest means.

The latest and most important movement in this direction is the great art portfolio distribution, which, more than

any other, does credit to the thoughtfulness and enterprise of The Post in looking out for the interests of its readers. There are some features of this offering which must commend it highly to all persons desirous of obtaining for themselves, or others, a valuable and enduring collection of masterpieces of nature and art.

These views, it must be remembered, are not on sale. The Post conceived the idea of placing the views within the reach of its readers, and secured the right to make a distribution of reproductions of these photographs for a limited time. The entire number of views to be distributed is 225. These are divided into twenty portfolios containing sixteen views each,

and are sent or given in exchange for three art portfolio coupons of different dates clipped from The Post, and the trifling sum of 10 cents to pay the expense of postage, wrapping, mailing, etc., which places the entire series of these superb views within the reach of The Post readers only. In fact, those who obtain them through this paper will be the first to see them, as they are now being produced fresh from new plates and have never been on public view.

Thousands are availing themselves of the unequalled opportunity, and every mail brings hundreds of letters, showing that there is an eager interest manifested throughout the country. All in all, the

distribution is undoubtedly the largest and most popular ever undertaken by a newspaper.

For full particulars regarding the general distribution now going on, the reader is referred to an advertisement upon another page of today's issue.

Oh, What a Rush—Where?

At the new Jewelry Store where Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry and the best of Silverware is being sold at prices never heard of before in Houston. And today a handsome present given to each lady attending the last half price sale. Come early and secure the best bargains.

S. Wolfert &amp; Co., 319 Franklin Avenue.

## Convenience and Economy

Extracted in every household by the use of

Liebig Company's

Extract of Beef.

The best way to improve and strengthen Soups and Sauces of all kinds is to add a little of this famous product.

Our Annual Christmas Gifts  
TO THE POOR BOYS OF HOUSTON AND VICINITYWILL OCCUR  
CHRISTMAS  
DAYWe will Give to every Poor Boy between the ages of Four and Eleven Years Old, a BOY'S SUIT FREE! FREE! FREE!  
This offer is for Two Hours, from 10 o'clock to 12 m. Remember these Gifts are only for those that are not able to buy them a new Suit for the Holidays.A SPECIAL CUT HAS BEEN  
MADE ON ALL GOODS  
FOR THIS WEEK OFWELCOME!  
OUR  
GUESTS

20 per Cent.

WE HAVE AN ELEGANT LINE OF GOODS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Sole Agents for Hammerslough Tailor Made Clothing. Sole Agents for Manhattan Celebrated Shirts. Sale Agents for Youman Celebrated Hats. COME AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK.

NONE BETTER! NONE BETTER!

LEWIS &amp; ROSENBERG, RELIABLE CLOTHIERS

218 AND 220 MAIN CORNER CONGRESS.

PRETTY PICTURES  
—AND—  
DECORATED NOVELTIES

Such as we are offering would be highly acceptable as Christmas Presents. If you are looking for something really elegant and tasty, at small cost, don't fail to see these goods.

JAMES BUTE

MAIN STREET ART STORE.  
Pictures Framed Promptly on Short Notice.

## EACH HOTEL.

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